want notice ? Why should not the Government be able to give an answer ?

Mr. T. M. Krishna Menon.—It will be considered.

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—May I know whether in the assignment of Chittur Kanom lands the maximum was Rs. 75 and the minimum rate was Rs. 50?

Mr. T. M. Krishna Menon.—They were poor lands.

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—Is there any case in which such low rate was fixed ?

Mr. T. M. Krishna Menon.—Oh, yes.

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—May I have a few instances, in Kodasseri ?

Mr. T. M. Krishna Menon.—Not now.

Kanam and Panayam Suits.

291. Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—Will the Government be pleased to state in a tabular form.—

(1) the total number of suits filed in the Civil Court of Original Jurisdiction in the State for redemption of Panayams akin to Kanam with the incidence of renewability (ordinary mortgage suits should not be included) every year from 1090 up to date;

(2) the number decreed every year;

(3) the number in which delivery of property has been taken;

(4) the number for which no execution has been taken;

(5) the number pending execution;

(6) the number pending trial?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—(1), (2), (3), (4), (5) and (6). Vide the statement appended. (*Vide Appendix III*).

Mr. C. A. Kunjunni Raja.—May I know what were the reasons which induced the Government to issue a proclamation staying panayam suits ?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—Because a bill was proposed to be introduced in the Council and for suits pending decision one way or the other a proclamation was necessary.

Bridge work—Chalakkudi—Mala road.

292. Mr. C. J. Mathew.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) whether the bridge work in the Chalakkudi—Mala road has been started; if not, why not;

(b) whether the land acquisition is completed in this case; and if not, why not;

(c) if the work is not commenced on account of any delay in land acquisition, will they kindly expedite proceedings;

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APENDIX III.

(*Vide answer to question No. 291*).

Statement of suits filed in the Civil Court of Original Jurisdiction for redemption of panayams akin to Kanom from the year 1090 up-to-date.

Year	No. of suits filed	No. decreed every year	No. in which delivery of property has been taken	No. for which no execution has been taken	No. pending execution	No. pending trial
1090	23	18	10	8	Nil	5
1091	31	27	11	15	Nil	9
1092	30	31	14	16	Nil	8
1093	25	27	17	11	Nil	6
1094	20	23	10	12	Nil	3
1095	27	28	17	9	1	2
1096	24	25	17	7	1	1
1097	18	18	12	5	Nil	1
1098	13	12	6	4	1	2
1099	19	18	11	6	2	3
1100	8	10	4	2	2	1
1101	33	25	12	15	3	9
1102	10	14	3	6	Nil	5
1103	20	21	16	5	Nil	4
1104	18	17	8	5	2	5
1105	24	11	6	8	Nil	18
1106	10	3	Nil	1	Nil	25

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